(c) As per its terms of reference, the Commission has sent its recommendations including those relating to uniform policy for method of recruitment and retirement age of judicial officers to all the State Governments. The recommendations are under examination in so far as they relate to the Central Government.

**Ammendment of Chartered Accountants Act, 1949**

2088. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India has suggested amendments to the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949; and

(b) if so, by when Government propose to bring amendments to the Act?

THE MINISTER OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM JETHMALANI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The amendment proposals are under consideration of the Government. The Government proposes to introduce an Amendment Bill for amending the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949 in Parliament during the coming Budget Session.

**Reconciliation Centres in States**

2089. SHRI BRAHMAKUMAR BHATT: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of reconciliation centers have been set up in Gujarat to overcome the burden of Court cases;

(b) if so, whether the Central Government propose to set up such centers in other States to reduce the burden of Court cases;

(c) if so, whether the Government propose to give any direction to other States for this purpose;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefore?

THE MINISTER OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RAM JETHMALANI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (e) The implementation of legal aid programmes under the